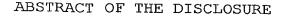
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Disclosed is a piezoelectric transformer capable of achieving external electrical connection polarization of electrodes while obtaining stable output characteristics. The piezoelectric transformer includes a piezoelectric member having two opposite rectangular major surfaces as first and second surfaces, and four surfaces connecting the first and second surfaces. piezoelectric member is longitudinally divided into two portions to have a first portion and a second portion, thereby longitudinally dividing each of the first second surfaces into a first surface portion and a second surface portion. The piezoelectric transformer includes an input electrode formed on the first surface portion of the first surface of the piezoelectric member, a ground electrode formed on the first surface portion of the second surface of the piezoelectric member while being vertically symmetrical with the input electrode, and an output electrode formed on the second portion of piezoelectric member at an end of the second portion spaced away from the input electrode.